

# House of Representatives

## Chamber Action

**Bills Introduced:** 20 public bills, H.R. 3116–3135; 1 private bill, H.R. 3136; and 5 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 205–206, and H. Res. 341–343 were introduced. Pages H99–H100

**Reports Filed:** A report was filed today as follows:  
Supplemental report on H.R. 10, to enhance competition in the financial services industry by providing a prudential framework for the affiliation of banks, securities firms, and other financial service providers (H. Rept. 105–164 Part 4). Page H99

**Speaker Pro Tempore:** Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designated Representative Nussle to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. Page H67

**Guest Chaplain:** The prayer was offered by the Guest Chaplain, the Reverend Paul I. Nussle of Sumner, Washington. Page H67

**Question of Privilege of the House:** The Chair ruled that H. Res. 341, relating to a question of the privileges of the House, did constitute a question of privilege of the House and was in order. Subsequently, the House agreed to table the resolution by a yea and nay vote of 214 yeas to 189 nays, Roll No. 2. Pages H72–73

**Legislative Program:** The Chairman of the Rules Committee announced the Legislative Program for the week of February 2. Page H73

**Presidential Messages:** Read the following messages from the President:

**National Emergency re Middle East Peace Process:** Message wherein he transmitted his report concerning terrorists who threaten to disrupt the Middle East peace process—referred to the Committee on International Relations and ordered printed (H. Doc. 105–182); Page H91

**Nuclear Energy Agreement with Kazakhstan:** Message wherein he transmitted his proposed agreement between the United States and the Republic of Kazakhstan Concerning the Peaceful Uses of Nuclear

Energy—referred to the Committee on International Relations and ordered printed (H. Doc. 105–183); and Page H92

**Nuclear Energy Agreement with Swiss Federal Council:** Message wherein he transmitted his proposed agreement between the United States and the Swiss Federal Council Concerning the Peaceful Uses of Nuclear Energy—referred to the Committee on International Relations and ordered printed (H. Doc. 105–184). Pages H92–93

**Senate Messages:** Messages received from the Senate today appear on page H67.

**Quorum Calls—Votes:** One yea and nay vote developed during the proceedings of the House today and appears on pages H72–73. There were no quorum calls.

**Adjournment:** Met at 1:00 p.m. and pursuant to H. Con. Res. 201 adjourned at 5:25 p.m. until 12:30 p.m. on Tuesday, February 3.

## Committee Meetings

### INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

**Committee on Appropriations:** Subcommittee on Interior held an oversight hearing on National Energy Policy. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Energy: Ernest J. Moniz, Under Secretary; Patricia F. Dodley, Assistant Secretary, Fossil Energy; and Dan W. Reicher, Assistant Secretary, Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy; Cecil H. Underwood, Governor, State of West Virginia; and public witnesses.

### LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

**Committee on Appropriations:** Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education began hearings on Labor, Health and Human Services appropriations for fiscal year 1999. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.